OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF INDUSTRIES AND COMMERCE IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

Statement of wholesale and retail prices in Bangalore City for the week ending Saturday, the 26th November 1938.

Food Articles	Quality	Seers	Lbs. per bag	Rate	Market report	Retail prices
Food Grains and Pulses—				Rs. a. p.		
Rice ...	Guntoor, per palla ...	100	246	13 0 0 to 14 0 0		7 to 7½ seers pe rupee
	Mysore Kaddi, per palla.	100	246	11 0 0 to 12 8 0		8 to 9 ,,
Ragi ...	Duyam (Black), per cart-load.	640	...	44 0 0 to 46 0 0	...	13 to 14 ,,
	Superior (Red), per cart-load.	640	...	47 0 0 to 48 0 0	...	
Tur ...	Gulberga ...	...	...	.....	...	7½ to 8½ ,,
Tur (Dal) ...	.....	...	...	.....	....	5 to 6½ ,,
Avare ...	.....	...	...	.....	...	7 to 8½ ,,
Avare (Dal) ...	.....	...	...	.....	...	7½ to 7½ ,,
Oils and Oil Seeds—						
Oils ...	Sweet oil ...	...	26½	4 4 0 to 4 8 0	...	Re. 0-2-0 per seer
	Castor oil ...	...	28	3 8 0 to 3 10 0	...	,, 0-1-9
Oil seeds ...	Gingelly or til seeds, per candy.	255	...	20 0 0 to 28 8 0		
	Castor seed, per candy...	255	...	20 0 0 to 20 8 0		
Other Food Articles—						
Sugar ...	White Bura ...	...	25	3 6 0 to 3 7 0	...	Re. 0-6-9 per viss
	Kolar Bura ...	...	25	3 5 0 to 3 6 0	...	to 0-7-0
Jaggery ...	Achu	...	28	1 10 0 to 2 12 0	...	Re. 0-5-0 per viss
	Oonde	...	28	2 4 0 to 2 10 0	...	to 0-6-0
Ghee ...	Superior (Mandya) ...	...	26½	15 0 0	...	Rs. 2-0-0 per viss.
Salt ...	Bombay Salt (Black) ...	105	...	7 2 0	...	14 seers per rupee

BANGALORE,
Dated 26th November 1938.

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For *Director*.

MYSORE STATE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH.

NOTE ON THE STATE OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN MYSORE STATE FOR THE WEEK ENDED THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 1938.

A total of 61 attacks with 49 deaths from Plague was returned during the week against 46 attacks with 25 deaths in the previous week. Mysore City reported one attack with two deaths while Bangalore City and Kolar Gold Field Area remained free from the disease. Comparative figures for the corresponding weeks in 1937 and 1936 were 90 attacks with 41 deaths and 9 attacks with 6 deaths respectively.

A total of one attack with nil death from Small-pox was reported from Kolar Gold Field Area.

The State remained free from Cholera, Influenza and Relapsing Fever.

The total mortality for Bangalore City amounted to 99 (30 in hospitals) representing a calculated death-rate of 24·2 (16·9 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population as against 30·9 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered 5 under Phthisis, 15 under Dysentery and Diarrhoea and 79 under all other causes. The reported mortality was normal.

During the week the Civil and Military Station, Bangalore, returned 78 deaths (9 in hospitals) representing a calculated death-rate of 28·0 (24·6 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population as against 24·9 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths were—Pneumonia 8, Typhoid 2, Other Fevers 1, Dysentery and Diarrhoea 15, and all other Causes 52. The reported mortality was normal.

The total mortality for Mysore City was 57 (13 in hospitals) representing a calculated death-rate of 23·8 (18·4 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population as against 30·27 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths were—Plague 2, Malaria 2, Typhoid 3, Phthisis 11, Dysentery and Diarrhoea 3, and all other Causes 36. The reported mortality was low.